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To: California Water Commission **Subject:** Oppose the Del Puerto Dam

I am against the proposed location of the reservoir that would be created by this dam. This dam would impact Patterson area/Howard Road exit homes and Del Puerto Canyon. This area is known for the kit fox, an endangered species, home to Yokut Indian artifacts, and where California's first paleontological finds were discovered. It is a cherished and unspoiled area. The project should be 10 miles north where there would be less environmental impact.

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